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Baldwin and Washington County...

Fall Line Freeway traffic shifts early next week

WHAT: G&P Enterprises has scheduled two Fall Line Freeway (FLF) construction project traffic shifts affecting Stembridge Road in Baldwin County and the existing state Route (SR) 24 mainline farther east in Washington County. The traveling public can expect changing conditions in place next Monday and Tuesday. The contractor's schedule is subject to change due to weather and other factors.

School buses and local residents heading east will turn left off existing Stembridge Road onto the new alignment and take a right at the SR 24 intersection stop to access the old roadway area to be blocked off next week.

WHEN: Shift west of Barksdale's Store Monday, August 15 (Washington County); Change to the new Stembridge Road alignment off existing SR 24 Tuesday, August 16 (Baldwin County)

WHY: The Washington County FLF traffic shift will be located approximately 0.7 miles west of Barksdale's Store allowing construction of the eastbound lanes from Popular Springs Church to Big Branch Creek. Once the shift is complete, construction consisting of milling existing asphalt and paving will follow eastbound.

The Stembridge Road shift permits removal of a part of the Baldwin County road, which will no longer exist. With traffic diverted to the new roadway, contractors will construct a cul-de-sac at the east ending point of Stembridge Road where it currently ties into the FLF project. In the future, G&P Enterprises will also build an access road allowing Stembridge Road residents in the affected area a more direct path to their homes.